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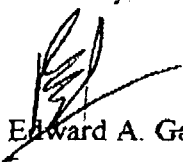
Renata B. Hesse
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U.S. Department of Justice
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Dear Ms. Hesse:

As a small Microsoft stockholder (about 10 shares in my daughter's college fund) and a user of diverse computing and software products, I have followed the antitrust proceedings against Microsoft with interest. With this introduction, I thought it worth sharing with you that I think the settlement between the Department of Justice and Microsoft is a reasonable conclusion to a matter whose founding facts have been (and are being) addressed in the marketplace.

I support the settlement and am pleased that it was reached. Thank you for considering my thoughts.

Sincerely,



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